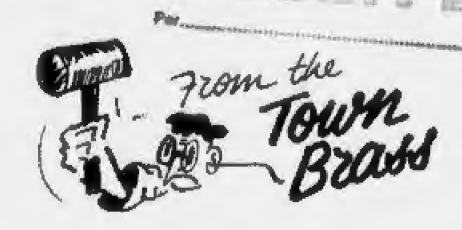
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# THANKSGIVING DAY

Thanksgiving Day this year, is for our town and district, a special one. The expected loss of our crop in early September, changed to a successful harvest, after wonderful late summer days. Yes, we have many reasons to thank Him who brought this sunshine over our fields and in our hearts. Let those places where our thankfulness will go up to the Eternity, be crowded on this coming Sunday. Then, after, it will be a real feast at all our homes, with traditional turkey and pumphin pie.

September 26 was Nomination Day for two vacancies on the St. Albert Public School Board and one vacancy on the St. Albert Protestant Separate School Board. We regret that such an important day was insufficiently published, so that our citizens did not have a fair chance to be reminded of their democratic rights in our country. Poor publication of pure democratic principles and rights, unnecessarily creates bad feelings amongst our electors; it desregards the enormous value of free elections (the pearl of freedom in our western world); it causes a most unhealthy situation, by appointing candidates by acclamation; and it is also a bad service to our taxpayers who support, with their money, the different school districts. We hope the future elections will show promotion of Nomination Day by those public bodies and their members, who are directly involved in the results of such elections. Such a democratic attitude would be much appreciated by most of our electors, and would also clear a lot of hard feelings and bad taste.

# (money) AWARDS

This is the time of year that the hearts of many boys and girls in St. Albert are beating faster with the excitement of getting on award from the results of the past school year. Our congratulations to those boys and girls who were the happy winners of any award. We noticed some "money" awards were presented to students in Grades 6 to 11 for their best academic results. We do not see why "money" should play any part in the appreciation of academic standings in the above mentioned grades. We are more than convinced that scholarships, where the money has to be used to further education, have done and are doing a wonderful job, by helping our outstanding students to increase their academic knowledge. But "money" awards for Grades 6 to 11, where the money does not have to be used for further education, brings such an academic award down to a lower standard. The honor to be best student should not be minimized to an ordinary "have a nice time" payday. (ertainly there are students who will save this money for educational purposes, but most of them are using this money as on extra help in their weekly allowance. Some students even made up their budget a long time before the awards were given, because they knew the "money" awards would be theirs for sure.

Our general suggestion is that students from Grade 6 to 11 should not be honored with an ordinary "money" award, but with any other reward which would remind them for many years, of the high value of such an academic award. Why not present books, subscriptions or memberships in all kinds of educational and cultur-

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# "ANNIE GET YOUR GUN"

A note to Musical Comedy patrons. John Beedle, a new resident of St. Albert and a veteran of sixteen Light Opera of Edmonton productions, is now taking pre-box office orders for tickets to "Annie Get Your Gun" to be presented at the Jubilee Auditorium - November 7,8,9 and 10th. John's phane number is 599 - 6960

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If anyone has been missed in the survey, please check in next week's paper for the nearest clinic, and go there either afternoon or in the evening.

Please keep your appointments. If this is not possible, then come anytime, but come. This is most important.

# MANY REWARDS GIVEN

Mr. E. McDonald, newly appointed Superintendent of the Edmonton Suburban Schools, was the guest speaker at the annual Award Night for students of the St.
Albert Protestant Separate School District, attended by a large number of parents and pupils at the Sir Alexander
Mackenzie School. His theme was "Time
and Youth", stressing the value of time,
one of our most precious commodities.
Other platform guests included Mrs. L.

Upright, whose piano solos from Schumanr were a delight, Mr. Ron Harvey, Chairman of the School Board, with Board members Dr. W.D. Cuts, Derek Browne and Roy Usher, Mr. George Willis, president of the Home and School, Mrs. Guy Voyer, education convenor of the Women's Institute, Dr. E. R. Schwarz of the St. Albert United Church, who gave the invocation, Mr. Frank Carnahan, principal of Sir George Simpson School and Mr. D.L. Petherbridge, supervising principal of the school district and master of ceremonies for the evening.

Mr. Willis presented Home and School Awards for general proficiency to Susan McGee, Lois Peacock, Keith Ahronson and Robert Walker on their standing out of Grade 6; and Vija Mikelson and David Greene for their Grade 9 standing. The Harvey Trophy for the best all round boy or girl in grade 6, was awarded to Lois Peacock, and presented by last year's winner, Philip Ralphs. The award for the most sportsmanlike attitude among Junior High School Girls and Boys went to Donna Clayton and Daniel Williams. The presentations here were made by Jane Netelenbos and Alan Blackie, last year's holders of the cherished trophies.

Mr. Derek Browne, on behalf of the Board of Trustees, made the academic awards as follows:

Sir Alexander Mackenzie School

Grade l Rhea Kauppila, Maureen Riddell,
Debby Tilby, Robert Filuk, Mark Holland

Grade 2 Barbara Hodgson, Janis Jobe, Jean Mitchell, Nelson Letts, Bruce Stewart.

Grade 3 Susan Filuk, William Leddy Grade 4 Sylvia Holland, Brian O'Toole.

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Keith Ahronson, Robert Walker.

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/Janice Pirson (in absentia)

Grade 5 Olwyn Tinning, Armis Mikelsons Attendance awards for perfect attendance throughout the school year were made on behalf of the Board by Mr. Roy Usher.as follows:

Sir Alexander Mackenzie School.

Grade 1 Kenny Read, Robert Filuk

Grade 2 Laurie Hart

Grade 4 Lorna Harvey, Robert Pawluk

Grade 5 Larry Shalagan

Grade 5 David Sinclair, Andre awak Grade 7 Karen Roop, Raymond Bussche.

Ronald Keith.

Grade S Elaine Allen, Doris Bussche, Maureen Holland, Valerie Strachan, Kirk Franko, William Herron, Brian Wesley.

Sir George Simpson School Grade 1 Courtland Carbol Grade 2 Valeen Duncan

Grade 3 Chris Brothen

Grade 4 George Coward, Rod Dobson

Grade 5 Paul Jelley

Mrs. Voyer presented Women's Institute Scholarships, awarded annually to the top three St. Albert students for their Grade 9 standing in the June departmentals, to David Greens, for top Grade 9 marks in the three school systems, and to Vija Mikelsons, who came third among St. Albert Grade 9 students.

The St. Albert Lions Club Scholarships, also based on Grade 9 marks, went to the same two students, and were made by Dr. W.D. Cuts, Lions Club President.
During the year, students at the Mackenzie and Simpson Schools have formed House Leagues, with points awarded in sports and scademic achievement, together with general proficiency and citizenship. McDougall House won the school track meet, while KcDougall House, capatained by Sheryl Mills also won the House Shield for top points at the Mac-

kenzie School. This was presented by

Alan Blackie, captain of last year's winner, Evans House. Mr. Ron Harvey made the house shield presentation to the captain of Henday House at the Sir George Simpson School, as this is the first year for the award to that school, Gail Love accepted this award as Captain of the Henday House. Top points won for McDougall House were won by Beth Holland Susan McGee and Nelson Letts of Steinhauer House and by Diane Campbell at the Sir George Simpson School.

Mr. Carnahan introduced Mr. McDonald, and following his address, the Board and donors of awards were thanked by Vija Mikelsons and David Greene.

# CRAFTS GUILD TO START CLASSES

The St. Albert Crafts Guild is happy to announce that it now has permanent quarters in the Community Hall and is in a

# PREVENTION WEEK

position to receive registrations for the following classes:

Monday 7 - 9 p.m. Advanced ceramics, commencing November 19th. This class will accommodate those members who participate in the Basic Ceramics Course advertised below, given by the well known potter, Mr. Ed Drahanchuk of Calgary, under the auspices of the Recreation and Cultural Activities Branch of the Provincial Government.

Tuesday 4:15 - 4:45 p.m. Teen Art

Tuesday 7 - 9 p.m. Beginners' ceramics

Wednesday 7 - 9 p.m. Beginners' and

Advanced Copper Tooling. Classes are
scheduled for this night at a date in

November, to be announced.

Thursday evenings Beginners and Advanced Painting. It is anticipated that registrations for these classes will be heavy enough to entail organization of further classes for Beginners.

Friday An arrangement has been made whereby Millinery classes will be held in the Crafts Guild Room on Friday afternoons and evenings.

Saturday 10 - 12 noon Children's Art.
The response to these classes which members of the Guild have been giving throughout the year is such that we most urgently need more methers to help with this most beneficial and rewarding

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work, in order that it may remain, as envisaged, open to any and every child who wishes to attend. If necessary, basic instruction will be given. We need sixteen people who will help with the children one hour one Saturday a month.

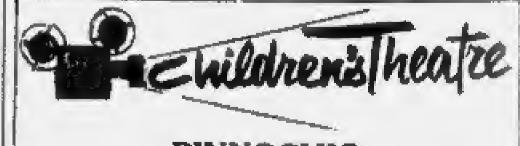
Schedules for classes in Basketry, Leather ther carving and filligree, Leather tooling, weaving, copper enamelling, creative needlecraft, etc. are still in process of completion and will be announced at a later date.

Courses given under the auspices of the Provincial Government in Batik and other forms of textile decoration, and also lapidary have been approved by that body, but as yet no date has been announced. A very limited number of vacancies exist for the Basic Ceramics Course, cost \$10.00 per member, Monday through to Friday commencing November 12th, from 1 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 10 p.m. Anyone wishing to take this course is urged to register immediately. Craft Guild fees are: \$15.00 for one year, \$7.50 for six months - Teen Group one half adult fees.

Please register downstairs at the Community Hall on Saturday morning, or mail to P.O. Box 312, St. Albert, or phone one of the following numbers: 599-6942 599-6878 599 7276 599-7186

# SURPRISE PARTY

Mr. & Mrs. W. W. Fraser enjoyed a delightful surprise recently on the occasion of their twentieth anniversary.
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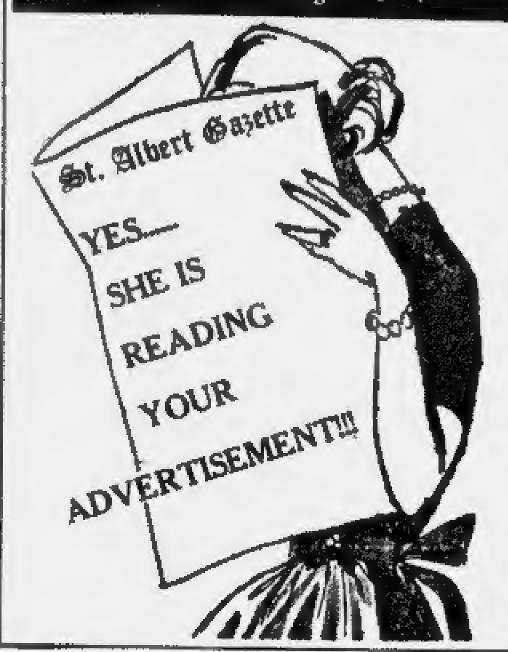
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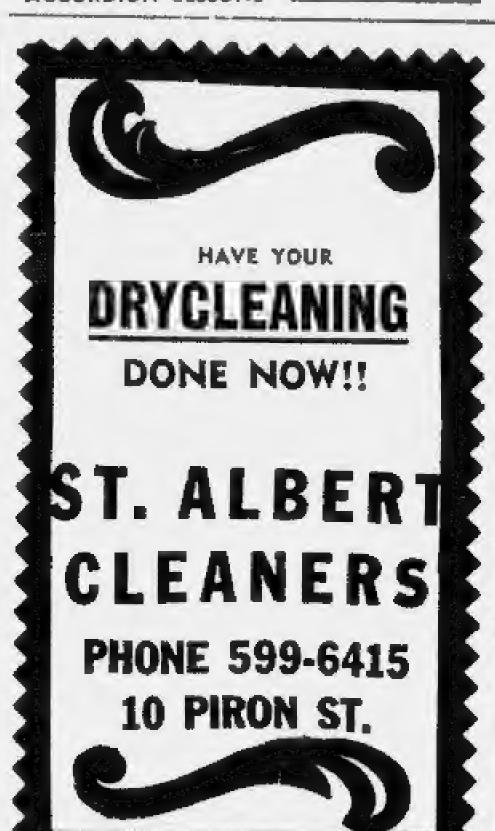
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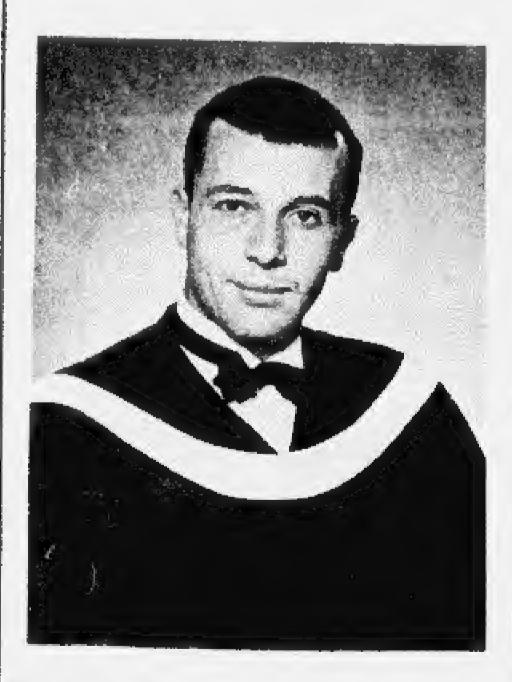
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# NEW ELECTED TRUSTEES ST. ALBERT PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD



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Born and raised in Alberta, Mr. Gourdine is a graduate of the University of Alberta, where he obtained a Bachelor of Education degree in 1955. After teaching two years at St. Joseph's High School in Edmonton, he entered the selling field and has been a professional representative with Merck, Sharp & Dohme of Canada Ltd., pharmaceutical manufacturer for the past four and one half years.

Mr. Gourdine, his wife Joyce, and their five children moved from Edmonton in July, 1961, to their present home at 5 Grandville Place.



Mr. Armand Donais, 37 Grandora Crescent, who was recently elected to the St. Albert Public School Board by acclamation. Mr. Donais is married, with five children. He is 39 years of age and has been a resident of St. Albert for two years. He is a senior executive with a building products manufacturing firm in Edmonton. During the second World War he saw service overseas.

# LIFE IN A

A wonderful treat was shared by many friends of Mr. & Mrs. Chuck Ryley, who entertained at a party in honour of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. & Mrs. Harry Robertson, of Benghazi, Libya, on Saturday, September 22nd.

Mr. Robertson delighted all with color films and slides of Benghazi and the surrounding countryside. They visited with a real Arab Sheik, inside his tent. Picture records of a journey home, through Cairo, Beirut, Bahrein, Bombay, Bangkok, Hong Kong and Tokyo, the highlight of the evening, was given by Mr. Robertson, with a most interesting commentary. Mrs. Robertson told of a party that she had been to in an Arab harem, where she was expected to do a hip swinging dance like the others. Those who enjoyed the pleasant party and

excellent refreshments were: Mr. & Mrs. R. Deward, Dr. & Mrs. Nimmons, Mr. & Mrs. H. Jones, Mr. & Mrs. P. Jensen, Mrs. C. Huen, Mr. G. MacDonald, Mr. & Mrs. Barbeau, Mr. & Mrs. T. Tucker, Mr. & Mrs. J. Dobbie, Mr. & Mrs. G. Robertson, and Prof. and Mrs. Phibbs,

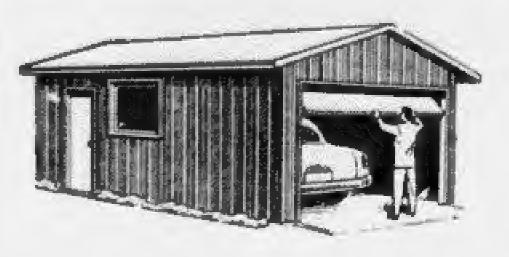


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St. Albert is a rapidly growing community and more than half of the parents whose children are attending our schools have arrived in the past two or three years. It is my opinion that I can well represent these people as well as those who have resided here for a longer period of time.

As a businessman and a father, I am interested that we obtain the best education possible for our tax dollar.

I sincerely hope that all of you will vote on election day and see fit to elect me as your representative to the St. Albert Separate School Board.

Yours sincerely, Charles w. Tennant.

# ST.ALBERT COMMUNITY LEAGUE ACTIVITIES

Committees reported on the start of various activities. Mr. Brewster reported a very successful Bingo, and expects them to be bigger and better in the following weeks. Prizes offered are bigger and better than last season too. All arrangements are completed for the start of Friday Night Dances, and Gaby Hass band is rarin' to go! A coffee bar will be open all evening. Mrs. Fraser is busy preparing decoration and costume prizes for the Hallowe'en Masquerade. Music will be by the Comboettes. Judges are being chosen with care. We hope to see a big variety of costumes to keep the judges confused. Square dancing is lined up to commence on Tuesday, October 16th. All Edmonton Square Dance Clubs are especially invited to attend the first evening. Square dancing will be in the Community Hall every Tuesday evening.

# MINOR HOCKEY REGISTRATION

All boys in the eight to sixteen age group in St. Albert must be registered before October fifteenth to be able to participate in minor hockey this winter. There is a \$1.00 Insurance fee which must be paid at the time of registration. Boys may register at Perron's Store and forms will also be available. All citizens interested in giving their services as coaches and managers of Minor League Hockey Teams in St. Albert, please contact Mr. Jimmy Roberts, 9 Mission Avenue, telephone 599-6046.

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#### SOCCER GAME SATURDAY



The "Heracles" Soccer Club will have a game this coming Saturday, against a team from the Edmonton Junior Soccer League. Kick-off time is 11 a.m. The place is the Soccer Field at Sir Alexander Mackenzie School. Anyone interested in supporting Junior Soccer in St. Albert is most welcome to come and watch.

# BOWLING LEAGE SPONSORED BY ST. ALBERT UPHOLSTERING

The Tuesday Afternoon Ladies Bowling League consisting of eight teams, was delighted to accept the sponsorship of Mr. & Mrs. G. Szott, of St. Albert Upholatering. The teams designated by names appropriate to their sponsor's business, with their standings and captains, follow:

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Bows " "Hill 5
Tacks " "Bisson 2
Coasters " "Musselman 2
Springs " "Lynn 2
Shaky Legs " Parras

Last week's high single and high triple went to Mary Dalzell, with 238 and 586. Charlene Lynn holds the high average of 168.

President of the league for this year is. Lucille Bouchard, and Secretary, Mrs. T.H. Whelan. Mrs. Kathleen Wilson is Treasurer. Mrs. F. Upton, who did so much for the league last year, was unable to continue as Secretary, for reasures of health.

## **CURLING NEWS**

Mr. Walter Sharplin has been appointed manager of the St. Albert Curling Rink to oversee the ice-making and generally get the curling season underway. Mr. Sharplin has had many years of experience; he was champion of the Royal Curling Club in Edmonton in 1953 and for five years was Secretary-Treasurer of the Camrose Curling Club. He has written a series of articles on curling published in several newspapers. The new manager will be "on the job" at the rink



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Applications for ice time are being confirmed this week to the large number of curlers who have requested ice. Some times remain open to applicants who can contact the manager for details.

Special low rates will be offered through the schools to children. It is hoped that a series of curling lessons can be started for interested beginners. Details of a planned square draw will be announced next week.

# **SCHOOL NEWS**

A Grade 7 and 6 school boys' soccer league has been formed for the month of October in St. Albert, with three sch-



Both School Soccer Teams

ools participating - Mission Park Public School, Sir Alexander Mackenzie and Sir George Simpson Separate Schools. The first game was played Tuesday at noon hour. Sir Alexander Mackenzie defeated Sir George Simpson by a score of 2 to 0.

The league was organized co-operatively among the three schools, and games of two 20 minute halves are played off during the noon hour, with each school taking its respective turn as host.

# ATTENTION ALL SQUARE DANCE FANS

Now that we are enjoying Indian Summer, we all should realize that soon winter will be upon us once again, and most of us will revert primarily to indoor activities. If you know what fun square dancing can be, you have likely wondered to which group you should go back. If on the other hand, you have never given it a whirl, let us urge you to give it a try.

The opportunity is right here in St. Albert.

On October 16th, the local Square Dance Club, under the sponsorship of the Community League, will hold the first dance of the season in the Community Hall at 8 p.m.

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# ALL THAT IS REQUIRED

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## SCOUT MOTHERS TO MEET

The Annual Meeting and Election of Officers of the Second St. Albert Scout and Cub Mothers will be held on October 9th at 8:00 p.m. in the Science Room of the Sir Alexander Mackenzie School.

MINOR HOCKEY REGISTRATION

# ZKOSTAKIMON

The two vacancies on the St. Albert Public School District Number 3 Board of Trustees were filled by acclamation with the nomination of Mr. J. Robert Courding of 5 Granville Place, a medical representative, and Armand Donais of 37 Grandora Crescent, a manufacturer. Mr. Angus J. MacDonald, previously trustee and Board chairman, did not accept nomination for a further term, nor did Kr. Dan McRae, the other retiring trustee. For positions on the Board of St. Albert Protestant Separate School District No. 6. Mr. Roy Usher, 14 Greengrove Drive, engineering assistant, whose term on the Board expired, and Mr. Charles W. Tennant 31 Grandora Crescent, manager, were nominated. There is one vacancy on the Board, and electors of the Protestant Separate School District will go to the polls on October 17th.



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## HIGH SCHOOL PLANS APPROVED

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All interior walls will be non bearing to permit re-adjustment of space and design, as dictated by the curriculum. The official opening of the Sir George Simpson School will take place at 8:30 on October 12th, 1962. Because of the



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connection between Sir George Simpson and the Hudson Bay Company, we have invited an official of that company to be our guest of honour on this occasion. We are pleased to say that Mr. I. Telmer has accepted our invitation.

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Graduates of the St. Albert High School Class of '62 will be honored Friday night in ceremonies commencing at the St. Albert High School Auditorium, at



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8:15 p.m. Prior to the formal ceremony, they will be guests at a banquet attended by themselves, their parents, and special guests, including the Hon. A.R. Patrick, who will later give the special address at the ceremonies. Academic and achievement awards fro Grades 9 to 12 will also be made. The public are cordially invited to attend the ceremony. Afterwards, there will be a dance, sponsored by the High School Student's Union for which a small charge will be made.

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# NEW RESIDENT AT ALBERTA GAME FARM

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First came a short hike through the woods to various points along the small lake, which abounded in water fowl. At this time of the year, family cares forgotten, the birds were devoting themselves wholeheartedly to having a good time before taking off for sunnier climes.

Then lunch in the company of peacocks of assorted plumage was fun. What greedy creatures they are. We always thought they came in blues, but here are white ones, mottled ones, black and blue ones, and all the shades in between. They were moulting, which didn't add to their looks, but it provided one of the extra dividends of the day, a fine collection of peacock feathers to form a winter decoration when flowers are gone. Lunch disposed of, the main business of the day was at hand. We were trying to count up how many different species of animals we saw, but lost count. We had a few special favourites, though. There were the delicate little kit foxen with their dainty paws, and pixy faced martens, far too lovely to ever provide fur trimmings for ladies coats. Of course there was Twana, the supple cheetah, who

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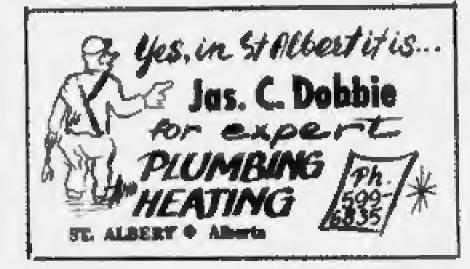
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Was raised by Mr. Oeming as a pet in his own home. A very young Sicilian Bonkey caught our admiring eye. He was really too young to know what a bun was about, but he nuzzled it and our fingers in friendly fashion. We liked the Yak family too, with their long black hair sweeping the grass tops like fringed skirts. Did you know they grunt, almost like pigs? We saw the shy Musk-ox yearlings in the distance. They've been at the farm for over a year now after the

dramatic expedition into the northern wilds to secure them, to see if they car be raised and bred in our more temperate (?) climate to save them from extinction The very nicest thing we saw though, was the farm's newest baby - a Grant's Zebra the very first one born in Canada. His parents came from Kenya three years ago as colts, and the new baby is the pride and joy of Mr. Deming and his staff. He's a wonderful miniature copy of his parents, about the size of a police dog. only more slender, with sleek short coat, none of the fuzzy look of the domestic colt. His stripes are just as brilliant as those of the idult sebras. He had just been turned in to the past-

ure for the first time, and he was discovering the joys of kicking up his little heels in a series of short jumps and darts at shadows. His mother stayed very close to him, and Mr. Ceming told us she was a wonderful mother. His fath er was in the pasture too, still a little bewildered by the new addition to the family, and obviously feeling slight ly left out of things. As we said, the zebra colt is the first one born in Canada, another first for the Alberta Game Farm, and another reason why Al Oeming has won international fame in his chosen field. We congratulate him on this and the many other impressive achievements to his oredit at the Farm.



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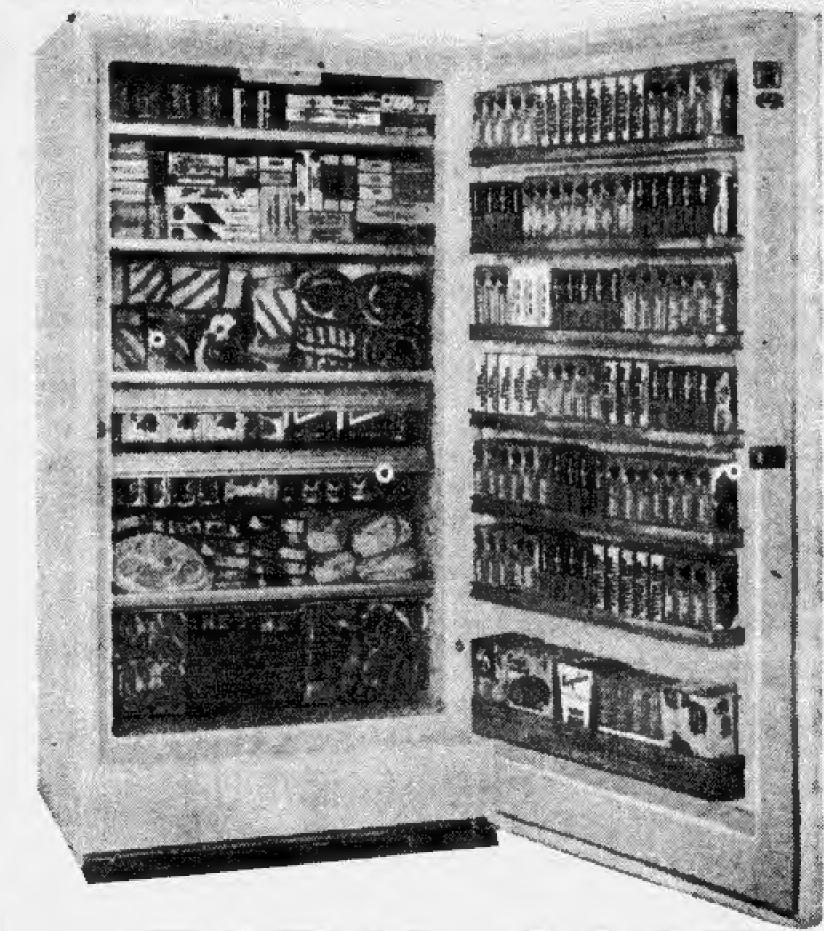
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